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TRANSMITTAL FOR AMENDMENT "F" &
RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is the Response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed April 17, 2007, for entry in the above-identified application.

To render the transmitted Response timely filed enclosed are the following:

Petition for One (1) Month Extension of Time
 Amendment "F" and Response

Payment in the amount of \$120.00 using the Credit Card payment option in E-Filer with RAM will be used to cover the payment of the fees with respect to this Petition for the One (1) Month Extension of Time.

No other additional fee is required.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-3178.

Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.

Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Any other fee required.

Dated this 17th day of August, 2007.

Respectfully submitted,

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